

# **CAREERS**

#### SCIENTISTS:

- **♦** Biologist
- **♦** Microbiologist
- **◆** Ecologist
- **◆** Toxicologist
- **♦** Environmental
- **♦** Hydrologist
- **♦** Chemist
- **◆** Geologist

## **✓** ENGINEERS:

- **♦** Environmental
- **♦** Mechanical
- **♦** Chemical
- ► ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION SPECIALISTS (EPS)

### **✓** ADMINISTRATIVE:

- **♦** Accountant
- **♦** Human Resources
- **♦** Computer
- **◆** Economist
- **♦ Program Analyst**
- **♦** Admin. Specialist
- **♦** Budget Analyst
- **♦ Public Affairs**
- **◆** Contracts

# LEGAL:

- **♦** Attorney
- ♦ Paralegal

## **✓** ENFORCEMENT:

**◆** Investigator

### **✓** SUPPORT:

- **♦** Office
- **♦** Technical

# ENVIRONMENTAL CAREERS United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)



### Our Mission:

"...to protect
human health and
to safeguard the natural
environment, air, water, and
land upon which life depends."



## **About the EPA**

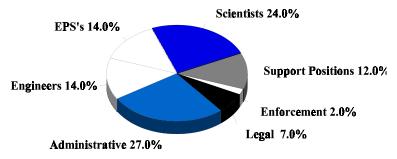
Founded in 1970, EPA is a dynamic organization which brings together people from diverse backgrounds and is dedicated to improving and preserving the quality of public health and the environment. Our nation's continuing growth and prosperity depends on our ability to find effective, creative solutions to public health and environmental problems and make them work.

EPA Headquarters, located in Washington, D.C., is divided into thirteen offices. These offices develop environmental policies, set standards, manage complex research and development programs, and develop regulations for pesticides, toxic substances, hazardous waste, air, radiation, and water. Many EPA offices are dedicated to the development of new technologies to prevent pollution. Ten Regional Offices administer EPA programs and provide technical assistance to state, local and tribal governments. Several nationwide research laboratories perform risk assessment and risk management to remediate environmental and human health problems.

EPA offers a comprehensive compensation package. A competitive salary combined with a full menu of benefits makes working at EPA as fulfilling and rewarding as possible. Employee benefits include Quality of Worklife Programs, such as Career and Personal Development programs, Flexible Work Hours and Alternative Work Schedules.

# **Common EPA Career Groups**

EPA employs almost 17,500 people with approximately 38% located in Washington, D.C. and 62% in regional offices and research laboratories. The chart below describes the major career groups at EPA; the side bar to the left lists the most typical fields within those groups.



## **For Job Information**

For specific information about the career fields you are interested in and their qualification requirements, contact one of the EPA Human Resources Offices listed below:

United States Environmental Protection Agency Human Resources Offices				
Ann Arbor, MI	(734) 214-4220	Las Vegas, NV: (Includes Washington, DC; Mon	(702) 798-2401 tgomery, AL)	
Atlanta, GA	(404) 562-8182	New York, NY	(212) 637-3550	
Boston, MA	(617) 918-1980	Philadelphia, PA	(215) 814-5240	
Chicago, IL	(312) 353-2027	Research Triangle Park (RTP), NC: (919) 541-3072 (Includes Duluth, MN; Gulf Breeze, FL; Narragansett, RI; Athens, GA; Corvallis, OR; Las Vegas, NV)		
Cincinnati, OH (Includes Ada, OK; Ed	(513) 569-7801 ison, NJ; RTP, NC)	San Francisco, CA	(415) 947-8020	
Dallas, TX	(214) 665-6560	Seattle, WA	(206) 553-1200	
Denver, CO	(303) 312-6190	Washington, DC	(202) 564-3300	
Kansas City, KS	(913) 551-7041			

## **Joblines & Internet Addresses**

For current EPA vacancies you can use the following sources:

EPA Homepage: www.epa.gov/ezhire Office of Personnel Management (OPM) Homepage: www.usajobs.opm.gov.

### **EPA Locations with jobline numbers:**

Boston, MA:	(617) 918-2079	San Francisco, CA:	(415) 947-8017
Seattle, WA:	(206) 553-1240	RTP, NC:	(919) 541-3014
Kansas City, KS:	(913) 551-7068	Cincinnati, OH:	(513) 569-7840

**Career America Connection:** (478) 757-3000 **Automated Telephone System:** (478) 757-3000

(478) 757-3000 or TDD (478) 744-2299

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